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#### **US. EPA SITREP 8-30-16**

- **LDEQ continues to assess the status of non-operating WWTPs.**

**LDEQ continues to conduct Landfill Assessments to insure compliance with permit and emergency orders.**

- **LDHH continues conducting drinking water system assessments.**
- **EPA and LDEQ are participating in the Debris Task Force along with USACE, DOTD, and USDA.**
- **EPA and LDEQ are participating in the Critical Infrastructure Task Force along with USACE, DOTD, and USDA.**
- **EPA continues to provide oversight of the responsible party-led cleanup at the Lard Oil spill which impacts a residential neighborhood in Denham Springs. Where access has been granted, the Responsible Party is now removing oil-stained vegetation and is conducting surface excavation of oil-contaminated surface soils. Air sampling activities are also being conducted on the facility and around the perimeter of the “impact” area of the oil release.**
- **EPA is working with LDEQ to ensure that there is adequate emergency response coverage relating to oil and hazardous material incidents in the impacted area.**
- **FEMA has “soft” released ESF-10. EPA will no longer staff the JFO but will instead support FEMA from EPA’s REOC in Dallas. EPA stands**

ready to re-mobilize to the JFO if FEMA requests.

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